Talented Teens Win Trip To National 4-H Congress

Miss Evans Miss Lockridge

Four Campbell County girls have won trips to the National 4-H Congress in Chicago the weekend after Thanksgiving.

They are among some 30 outstanding 4-H youths selected by the Cooperative Extension Service to represent their state at the congress.

The four are Ann Pexine Fleming, 18, of Concord, Patty Lockridge, 16, of Lynchburg; Layton Evans, 18, of Concord, and Jean Tillotson, 16, of Lynchburg.

Miss Fleming, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fleming, won top honors in the bread project sponsored by Standard Brands Incorporated.

"When the community needs a breadmaker, I feel qualified to help," said Miss Fleming. She proved it by making more than 500 rolls in one baking session for a community event.

Miss Lockridge will be the guest of Eli Lilly and Company, which sponsors the health project. Miss Lockridge showed excellence in this endeavor by devoting three years of volunteer work at Lynchburg Training School and Hospital.

During this time she worked closely with patients and even organized a junior olympics and awarded ribbons. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lockridge.

Miss Evans, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Evans, is the winner in conservation of natural resources, a project sponsored by John Deere.

"Layton is conscientious and dependable," said Anna B. Elcan, extension agent. "She has done much to strengthen the county 4-H

Miss Fleming Miss Tillotson

programs and encourage others to conserve natural resources."

In addition to planting pine seedlings, Miss Evans has given numerous demonstrations, radio talks and set up exhibits at club meetings to emphasize conservation.

Miss Tillotson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Tillotson. She won top honors in entomology sponsored by Hercules Incorporated.

"She has conducted two county-wide entomology workshops and did an outstanding job with them," said Carey E. Carson, extension agent.

Fidelity Buys Bonds

The Fidelity National Bank, with headquarters at Lynchburg, is joint syndicate with The Bank of Virginia, has purchased through negotiation $12,600,000 Portsmouth, Va., general obligation bonds.

The proceeds from the bonds will be used for various purposes including schools, highways, public buildings, urban renewal, water, and sewers.

Report Farm Changes To ASCS Office

Changes in the number of acres being farmed can mean changes in farm records at the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) Office. And that means whenever a farmer buys, sells, leases, rents, or otherwise acquires or disposes of farmland, he should drop by the county ASCS Office as soon as possible thereafter to set the records straight, according to Appomattox County ASC Committee Chairman, J. P. Alvis, Jr.

Records are kept on farms participating in programs administered by ASCS. Major ASCS programs in Appomattox County are: Wheat, feed grain, tobacco, and the Agricultural Conservation Program (ACP).

Mr. Alvis pointed out that the ASCS office must keep accurate records on total acreage of all farms where owners or operators participate in any ASCS - administered program. In addition to those named above, ASCS administered farm programs in Appomattox County include price support loans on commodities such as wheat, corn and soybeans.

"If a farm is constituted differently now than it was when the farmer began program participation -- and if he hasn't yet reported the change -- then he should drop by the County ASCS Office on his very next trip to town to make the report," Mr. Alvis said.

"Also, if a farm has changed owners or operators in that period, a report should be made to the county office," he said.

The ASC Committee Chairman emphasized that changes need be reported only by farmers participating in one or more farm programs administered by ASCS.

Salvation Army Breakdown

A family came to The Salvation Army office on Christmas Eve. They are traveling to the mother's parents' home, where they planned to stay until the young father could find work. Their car had broken down along the way and their last few dollars had gone for repairs and gas. There was nothing left for food.

They were given dinner and lodged for the night in a local hotel. In the morning, they were surprised with a Christmas tree and toys and candy for the two boys; aged 3 and 4. They went on their way with new hope.

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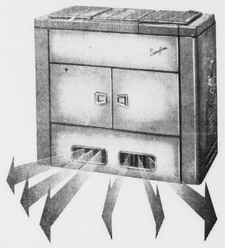

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Sherwill 4-H Members ...nd National Congress

...Ann, 18, daughter of ... Fleming, E. Evans of ... Concord and Paxine ..., 18, daughter of Mr. and ... W. Fleming of Rt. ... are attending National ... Congress in Chicago in ... last busy week which ... tomorrow (Friday).

...is the top state winner ... conservation project. She ... member of Sherwill ... for 10 years. She grew ... 1,000 acre farm where ... government to observe ... more conservation ...

...has completed 76 projects ... areas of agriculture ... economics. She has ... completed 12 county 4-H ... has state photography ... winner for two ... state conservation demonstration winner for two years ... conservation demonstration team and delegate to ... Resource Leadership Camp, Michigan, 1968. ... current 4-H projects ...

she has received 56 different ribbons.

At Bridgewater College she is a member of the Women's Athletic Association, newspaper staff and holds first chair in the Marching and concert band.

Paxine Fleming, is the state's top winner in the breads and cereals achievement awards program. She's been a 4-H club member for nine years. She has completed 70 projects.

She has held all major offices in the Sherwill 4-H club, served as vice president of the Campbell County 4-H Honor and is a member of the Virginia 4-H All Star Chapter.

She plans to be a homemaker (engagement announced recently) and pursue a medical or health career.

Local 4-H club volunteer leaders giving leadership are Mrs. J. F. MacKenzie, Mrs. Lyle Garrette and Mrs. C. W. Fleming. Campbell County agents are Mrs. Anna B. Elcan, extension agent, home economics and C. E. Carson, extension agent, agriculture.

...ROCKS

...y, ... it was quite ... evenings last week. ... and Jane Inge returned ... Chicago last Sunday ...

...end got in on Saturday ...

...Clover of Crewe ...day with her sister, ... Richardson.

...Mrs. Ronnie Ranson of ... spent Thanksgiving ... parents, Mr. and Mrs. ...

...Mrs. Clarence Richardson visited their ... Joe Almond to Farmville ...nesday to shop.

...Martin, Jack Cheatham ... others left Thursday ... Jefferson, S. C. to sell ... and Friday.

...went to see Robert ... last week at Lynchburg General Hospital.

...ds are sorry to hear ... Richardson is in Lynchburg General Hospital. A speedy ... is wished for him.

...Mrs. W. B. Moore and ... spent a few days in Montgomery, West Virginia last week. ... is attended the funeral ... family in the death of ... daughter on Wednesday near Roanoke.

...er attended the shower ... Lee Shelton bride to be ... at Appomattox.

...er of the farmers have ... the market for opening ...

...Martin took his father, ... Martin back to Lynchburg ... see the doctor again. ... Lee Elder spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Elder. ... Roach returned home ... from the hospital much ...

...were shocked to hear ... of Pamplin was rushed ... Lynchburg General Hospital ... afternoon and died in a ... Sympathy is ... the family.

...Richard and Audrey will ... Friday from Mississippi ... holiday with her parents ... Mrs. Toby Inge.

...Mrs. Lewis Dickerson ... were visiting Mr. ... Hutton Dickerson at ... Sunday afternoon.

PAMPLIN

Construction of new facilities for First Colony Telephone Co. for Pamplin area telephone subscribers is under way. It will consist of new central office housing equipment with a capacity of 600 lines and 900 number is under construction now. The estimated cost of project will be $200,000.

Our Town was saddened Saturday by the death of one of our citizens, Mr. Joe Cobb. He will be greatly missed and we extend our heartfelt sympathy to his family.

Mr. J. M. Cobb, Jr. is still improving in Lynchburg General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Caldwell visited her brother, W. B. Williams who is still a patient in McGuire Hospital for the weekend.

Mrs. Ethel Wagner is still a patient at Medical College Hospital in Richmond.

College students returning after spending Thanksgiving at their homes here were Dicky Williams, Malcolm Inge, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dudley III of VPI, Pat Covington, of Radford and Beth Massey of Lynchburg College.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Turner of Collinsville spent Thanksgiving here with Mr. and Mrs. Harry St. John.

Martha Gorden Williams will return monday from Pompano Beach, Florida after spending Thanksgiving weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Perrin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Smith and family spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Pittman of Alexandria.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood of Colonel Heights and two children spent Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Hal. F. Clark.

Miss Lucille Paulette is still a patient in Southside Hospital in Farmville, Va.

Friends are sorry to hear Lucille Paulette will be moved from Southside Hospital in Farmville to Medical College Hospital in Richmond as soon as a room can be secured.

Mrs. Lewis Dickerson and Christine were in Lynchburg last Wednesday doing their Christmas shopping.

Harry Almond spent a while Wednesday with his uncle, Lewis Dickerson.

Donna and Ricky Dickerson who were sick last week are some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McIntosh and girls were visiting the latters brother, Rodney Roach and family at Livingston Sunday afternoon.

Frank Lee Elder returned to Bluefield College Sunday night after being here for Thanksgiving holiday.

Donald Roach went to work in Lynchburg last week.

Rev. W. H. Elder brought a fine Thanksgiving message on Wednesday night.

Mt. Airy

Mrs. Mary B. Hudson and daughter, Janet, spent the Thanksgiving holiday in New Jersey and in New York visiting her brother and friends, Mrs. Margaret Donaget and Mrs. Geraldine Donaget.

Increase In Widows' DIC Rates

On October 27, 1969, President Nixon signed a bill to increase the monthly rates for widows' dependency and indemnity compensation. The new legislation changes the concept upon which dependency and indemnity compensation had heretofore been based. The formula, wherein a set rate of compensation ($120) plus 12 percent of the basic pay of the deceased veterans' rank was payable, has been eliminated.

The new law establishes a standard table of rates related to the rank or rating held by the veteran at the time of his death or discharge, whichever is the later. The new rates will become effective on December 1, 1969; and will be reflected in the check received on or about January 2, 1970.

The minimum monthly rate payable under the new law is $167.

In addition, the law now provides for additional payments of $20 per month for each child below the age of 18, and $50 per month in the case of a widow so disabled as to require the aid and attendance of another person or is in a nursing home.

Detailed Maps Aid Country

Virginia has taken the lead among 35 states cooperating with the Federal government's program to have more detailed topographic maps of the entire continental United States by 1977, according to Dr. James L. Calver, State Geologist with the Department of Conservation and Economic Development at Charlottesville.

This outstanding achievement is the result of an accelerated mapping program, begun in 1962 with the full support of the Conservation Department, the Governor and the General Assembly.

The program calls for increasing map coverage by the "7.5 minute quadrangle series," -- topographic maps that provide more than twice the detail of existing 15 minute quadrangle maps. At present, 79 percent of Virginia is covered by the 7.5 minute series, with 100 percent coverage expected by mid 1972. This will place Virginia first among states for availability of more modern and detailed topographic map coverage, Dr. Calver said.

The cost of the program is shared equally by the Commonwealth of Virginia and the United States Geological Survey, Department of the Interior.

Topographic maps are playing an increasingly vital part in Virginia's growth and development and that of the nation.

By way of recent and dramatic example, topographic maps aided in the rescue of Virginia flood victims in the wake of hurricane Camille, when several hundred maps of the James River basin were provided rescue authorities by the State's Division of Mineral Resources. The maps were helpful also in assessment of property damage in flood-ravaged areas.

Fidelity Purchases Portsmouth Bonds

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BECKHAM

DEC. 2 – Mrs. Clyde Moore and Mrs. Jimmy Guill of Appomattox, spent the week end with Mr. H. O. Martin. Visiting in this home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Winston Martin, Mrs. Nellie Stoppe and friends of Lynchburg, Mr. Claude I. Martin, Donny Martin and Elvin Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lee Burge and Mrs. Henry Burge were Wednesday dinner guests of Mrs. T. H. Burge and Paul Burge.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Goff, Linda and Benda and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Burge were Thursday dinner guests of Mrs. T. H. Burge and Paul Burge. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burge, Mrs. Charles Wilson and two boys visited in this home on Saturday.

Mrs. T. H. Burge and Paul Burge accompanied by Mrs. E. C. Jennings were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burge and family, of Bedford.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Schmutz and girls and Miss Nancy Moore spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Hal C. Moore.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hal C. Moore recently were Mrs. O. W. Martin, Sr., Mrs. Ruth Wheeler and Miss Mary Ann Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Martin, Jr., Mrs. Howlett Drinkard, Miss Eunice Martin, Mrs. Abner Martin, Mrs. Herman Moore, Sr., Mrs. S G. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore and Charlotte, Mrs. W. C. Story and Irene.

Thanksgiving dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Burge, Jr. with many relatives present.

Patricia Martin spent sometime with Carolyn Jo Morris during the holidays.

Thanksgiving dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris, Ronnie, Carolyn Jo and Mrs. S. G. Martin. Many relatives and friends were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Moore, Jr. and family visited Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and family Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Story, Tony and Irene visited Mrs. Whorley of Big Island Sunday.

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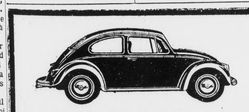

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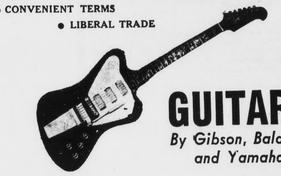

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